

Memo/Reply From
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TO: Dr Torze

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P.S. re Griffiths

A propos your piece in TIBS 11/78:
let me take the occasion to take
issue with your attribution to
Griffiths that "the patulum was the
carbohydrate antigen itself."

I have joined this issue before; but I
think you will find Griffiths's own
language compelling. Of course we now
have to retranslate protein structure:
but what is most clear is that Griffiths
did not identify this with the carbohydrate.

If you agree, could I name you to volunteer
a footnote of correction -- better than my
seemingly to make an unwarranted fuss.

Sincerely,

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